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Attorney Docket No. 82719

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

BLACKMON, Harry C. et al.

Confirmation No.: 9051

Serial No. 09/703,027

Art Unit: 2661

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Examiner: Phirin SAM

Title: **ROUTER NETWORK PROTECTION USING MULTIPLE FACILITY INTERFACES**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136

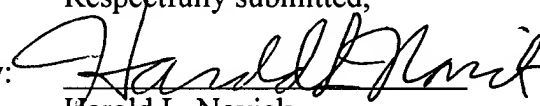
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.17 and 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated December 27, 2006. With a two-month extension of time, the time period for reply is set to expire on May 29, 2007, the first business day after a weekend and federal holiday. A check for the extension-of-time fee of \$450.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) is enclosed.

If extensions of time other than those provided herewith are required to allow consideration of papers accompanying this Petition, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The Commissioner is specifically authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

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